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8 November 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, Guided Missile Intelligence
Committee (GMIC)

SUBJECT: Site Designation System for Soviet
Surface-to-Air Guided Missile Sites

REFERENCE: Your Memorandum to Members, GMIC,
Same Subject, 8 October 1957

1. The type of designation system proposed in the Attachment to Reference is too inflexible to satisfy future needs inasmuch as it assumes all defended target areas will employ a Moscow-type defensive missile system. It does not take into account the future evolution of Soviet surface-to-air missile developments, particularly through extended range and high-g performance capabilities which would drastically change the rigid geometric pattern of the present dual ring Moscow-type system.

2. Attached is a proposal for a missile system applicable anywhere in the Soviet Union and immediately indicative of site locations.

3. It is recommended the system proposed in the Attachment be adopted.



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Attachment: Proposed CIA Designation System

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